## MASSACHUSETTS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM

## MassWorkforce Issuance

## **Workforce Issuance No. 14-82**

□ Policy ☑ Information

**To:** Chief Elected Officials

Workforce Investment Board Chairs Workforce Investment Board Directors

Title I Administrators Career Center Directors Title I Fiscal Officers DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIA State Partners

**From:** Alice Sweeney, Director

Department of Career Services

**Date:** October 6, 2014

**Subject:** Notice of Closure: Center of Digital Imaging Arts, Inc.

**Purpose:** To notify Local Workforce Investment Boards, One-Stop Career Center Operators

and other local workforce investment partners that Center of Digital Imaging Arts,

Inc., DBA Center for Digital Imaging Arts located at 274 Moody Street,

Waltham, MA is no longer operating due to bankruptcy.

**Background:** The Center of Digital Imaging Arts, Inc. (CDIA) was a new digital imaging arts

program for Boston University's (BU's) College of Communication. CDIA's certificate programs and workshops were initially designed to complement the

College of Communication's degree programs.

In May 2014, Boston University announced that they had severed ties with CDIA, and in June 2014, CDIA filed for bankruptcy. As a result, students who were

attending CDIA's Waltham campus will complete their certificate program(s) at

Boston University's Boston campus.

The Department of Career Services (DCS) has reviewed MOSES enrollments and there is one student enrolled in one of the programs (Trade) funded through DCS.

Accommodations have been made and are already in place for this student.

**Inquiries:** Please email any questions regarding this notification to the MOSES Help Desk at

MOSES@detma.org.